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11                                   **RESPONSE TO OCTOBER 6, 2005 OFFICE ACTION**

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21                                   **INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

22                   This communication is responsive to the Office Action dated October 6, 2005,  
23                   and is being filed along with a petition for a one-month extension of time, extending the  
24                   period for response from January 6, 2006, to February 6, 2006.

25                   **Remarks** begin on page 2 of this document.